

CHIEF'S WARNING SAVES FIREMEN AS STAIRS FALL

Devaney Scents "Back
Draught" and Orders Men of
Two Companies to Run.

BUT TWO ARE INJURED.

\$75,000 Blaze Guts Three
Floors of Loft Building—
"L" Trains Delayed.

A fireman's instinct, coupled with a highly developed sense of smell, saved the men of Engine Company No. 28 and No. 29 from a catastrophe during a \$75,000 fire in the five-story building on the southeast corner of Prince street and West Broadway, early to-day. The fireman who scented trouble was Acting Deputy Chief Devaney.

The building that burned is occupied on the two upper floors by the Brooklyn Straw Hat Works and on the second and third floors by the Young Hat Manufacturing Company. The fire was confined to the three upper floors. A policeman turned in an alarm.

Deputy Chief Keenan thought he could overcome the blaze with the four engines that responded to the first alarm, and the men of those detachments fought stoutly for more than forty minutes before a second alarm, shortly afterward, a third alarm was sounded. The straw stock on the upper floors fed the fire and sent it like a torch through the roof.

Devaney, at the head of Engine Company No. 28, led by Capt. Flanagan, was ascending from the third to the fourth floor. They carried a hose line equipped with a nozzle that could be shut off, an equipment enabling firemen to lay down a hose without it "making"—that is, twisting and wrenching in a dangerous manner.

Devaney's trained sensibilities detected something ominous in the air about him. He commanded the men to shut off the hose, drop it and retreat as fast as they could. They scurried down a flight of steps and were hardly out of the way when the staircase above that on which they had last stood toppled down, sucked out of place by "back

WHITE HOUSE BRIDE HAD "OBEY" PUT INTO WEDDING CEREMONY.

The White House bride is not of the modern progressive type. She starts off with an explicit promise to "obey" her husband and, to make sure, had words to that effect inserted in the contract.

The ceremony was a blend of the Presbyterian and Episcopalian forms. In the Presbyterian rubric there is no word implying the obedience of the wife. Miss Wilson had these words interpolated by her special request. Accordingly, in plighting her troth, she repeated after Dr. Booth these words: "I, Jessie Wilson, take thee, Francis, to be my wedded husband and promise and covenant before God and these witnesses, to be thy loving, faithful and OBEIENT wife, in plenty and in want, in joy and in sorrow, in sickness and in health, as long as we both shall live."

draught." Had the men been a moment later they would have been struck by the wreckage.

As it was, Fireman Thomas Donohue was hit by falling timbers and knocked against a wall. He was assisted down a fire-escape on the West Broadway side of the building and sent to quarters by Dr. Archer of the Department. One other injury marked the progress of the fire. Patrolman Hagmeyer of Fire Patrol No. 2 was struck by a falling hose roller and stunned. His hurt was not serious, however.

The three upper floors of the building were gutted and the lower floors and contents soaked with water. J. & E. Homan & Co. and the Emergency Supply Company occupy the first floor. The elevator was tied up an hour and twenty minutes because of the fire, the hosemen using the "L" structure as a vantage point from which to play water onto the flames.

15-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER AIDING MRS. DE BOST, WHO SEEKS SEPARATION

Says Broker Had Cocktails on
Rising and Shook Lobster
in Wife's Face.

Verity Snow, fifteen-year-old daughter of Elbridge Gerry Snow, testified to-day in behalf of her mother, Mrs. Fannie P. De Bost, in the Supreme Court in the mother's suit for separation from her husband, a broker. Miss Snow took her Thanksgiving vacation from the Oaklawn School at New Rochelle for the purpose of coming to court.

A report of the proceedings to-day, as yesterday, would be found liberally sprinkled with cocktails, straight whiskey, beer and cracked ice. Miss Snow testified that Broker De Bost was in the habit of getting out of bed at 11 in the morning and making a dash for ice to mix a cocktail. She insisted that the journey to the refrigerator was usually made in his pajamas. No amount of cross-questioning would shake her from her impression, the defense seeming to think the point important.

She testified also that "daddy" was in the habit of taking one or two cocktails before dinner and straight whiskey afterward. He did not, however, always take the whiskey.

One of the little incidents that made life interesting for the De Bosts concerned a broiled lobster. Miss Snow said Mr. De Bost picked it up and shoved it into his wife's face.

Miss Snow said her mother also took cocktails before dinner—one or two, no more.

"If mother drank two before dinner she didn't take anything else during the evening," she said.

"You and your brother called Mr. De Bost 'daddy,' didn't you?" asked the attorney.

"Yes."

"And you got along very well?"

"Yes, at first, but not for the last two years."

Home Rule Bill To Pass Unchanged, BELFAST, Ireland, Nov. 26.—Premier Asquith intends the Home Rule for Ireland bill to pass into law as it now stands, he told a delegation of Ulster Liberals who had protested to him against the exclusion of the Irish Province of Ulster from the provisions of the measure according to the Belfast news letter.

BRIDAL COUPLE QUIT WHITE HOUSE THROUGH KITCHEN

Mr. and Mrs. Sayre by Ruse
Escape Shower of Rice and
Old Shoes.

AWAY ON HONEYMOON.

Washington Votes Wedding
"Perfect"—Dancing Fol-
lows Ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre, the White House newlyweds, are somewhere off in cloudland, on their way by blimp to Europe or Bermuda, or heaven, and the President and Mrs. Wilson and the remaining Misses Wilson and Joe Tumulty know where.

The happy young folk made a back-door getaway from the White House after the bride had substituted her traveling dress, a girlish costume of hunter's green sables, for the bridal gown. Instead of descending from the living apartment on the second floor by the main stairway, they went down in the elevator to the kitchen and the southern door, where they found Secretary Tumulty's automobile waiting.

There the mysterious disappearance began. They were carried to a train, but whether in Baltimore or Hyattsville or Laurel, none but the persons named knows, and they won't tell. The only thing certain is that it wasn't the Union Station, which would have been most convenient and reasonable. It is supposed they started for New York to take a steamship.

Washington has voted it a perfect wedding, as for the externals. The weather was of the lovely autumnal kind which Washington only enjoys, as if in compensation for its awful summer. There was no hitch or untoward incident. The Wilson "if" luck held. MRS. WILSON PROVIDES SURPRISE, IN DANCE.

Mrs. Wilson furnished the only surprise. This was a little, informal dance in the East Room, after the marriage ceremony. The President's wife, having taken note of the looks of expectancy on faces of the younger guests as they were reflected in the polished floor, had a happy intuition that something not in the regular programme would be agreeable. She gave the signal to the Marine Band, and presently almost everybody was dancing.

The table was adorned with the bridal cake and clusters of pink roses. Just before the bride cut the cake, using the sword of Dr. Grayson for the purpose, the two white prayer-books used by the clergymen in performing the ceremony were brought into the dining room and each of the ministers inscribed them and presented one to Mrs. Sayre and the other to Mr. Sayre. Then the certificate of the wedding was signed and presented to the bride. It was encased in white leather with gold letters.

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After the wedding cake was out, the supper was served and the health of the newly wed couple was pledged. While the gay little supper was being served in the private dining room the other guests were seated at the long table in the dining room, where a buffet supper was served. The decorations in the dining room were ferns, pink roses and chrysanthemums. The long table from which the salads, sliced Virginia ham, rolls, French breads, coffee, ices and cakes were served was adorned with clusters of white silk shades. At either end of the table was placed a large punch bowl from which the waiters served a lemonade fruit punch. No wines were served.

BRIDE SMILES ONLY FOR HER MOTHER.

It was observed that, as she marched on the arm of her husband from the state dining room through the long red corridor, she was preternaturally solemn and raised her eyes and smiled only when she caught the eye of her mother. Mrs. Wilson, up to that moment, had not smiled, but seemed to be looking off back through the window beyond. Her face lighted up in answer to her daughter's covert greeting and thereafter she was radiant.

The President was smiling and inscrutable throughout. When the kissing began after the ceremony he permitted himself to be pushed aside by some of the more ardent members of the party intent on being the first to land on the face of the bride.

The party broke into gaiety after reaching the Blue Room, where the reception was held. Ambassador Jussera, dean of the diplomats, was one of the first to greet the bridal couple. He was resplendent in the gold lace and buffon which at the last moment

White House Bride in Gown She Wore at the Wedding



A NEW BUSINESS.

Sketch team at the Little Name Theatre, Broadway and One Hundred and Tenth street: "You're looking happy; must have something good in sight." "Sure thing. New business—fine prospects." "What is it?" "Business for a factory making storm doors for all skirts."

HALT MURDER TRIAL TO RE-HEAR TESTIMONY

Jurors Had Forgotten Names of
Witnesses and Evidence They
Had Given.

The jurors in the case of Charles Di Martini, on trial for slaying Patrick Cotter, a young probationary policeman, in the Bronx last August, made a most unusual request of Justice Davis in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court today.

The trial has been going on for over a week, and more than two dozen witnesses have been examined. At the close of the State's case to-day the jurors found that they were unable to remember the names of the witnesses and what they had testified to.

Justice Davis instructed the stenographer to prepare the minutes of the case. Ten of the most important witnesses were brought into the room and lined up before the jury box.

The stenographer had them step from line one at a time and read the questions and answers. The jurors made notes and at the conclusion of this unusual proceeding expressed themselves as satisfied.

SENTENCED TO THE CHAIR.

Campanelli, Convicted on Daughter's Testimony, Off to Death House. With Sheriff Harburger and three deputies standing behind him, Vincenzo Campanelli, thirty-six years old, formerly living at No. 61 East Ninety-sixth street, was taken to the death house in Sing Sing this morning and was sentenced to death.

Campanelli shot and killed his wife, Concetta, and seriously shot his ten-year-old daughter, Mary, in a jealous outburst. His daughter, who was swathed in bandages, was the chief witness against him.

"My case was badly conducted," said Campanelli through an interpreter in response to the usual question.

Justice Davis then directed that the prisoner be taken to Sing Sing prison and executed in the week beginning Jan. 5, 1914.

An soon as the sentence was translated to Campanelli two deputy sheriffs slipped two pairs of handcuffs on his wrists and he was led toward the "Bridge of Sighs" to the Tomba. He will eat his Thanksgiving dinner in the death house in Sing Sing.

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\$4,000,000 CLOCK TO STRIKE TO-DAY OR LOSE \$700,000

City Being Scoured to Get
\$100,000 Necessary to
Complete Big Fund.

Whatever the army of volunteer workers, 1,000 strong, has already accomplished toward collecting the \$4,000,000 for the joint building fund of the Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. A. It is as nothing to what they are trying to do to-day. According to a reasonable estimate, the fund is now within \$100,000 of the mark and that sum must be collected before midnight.

To obtain that sum entails harder work than the workers have hitherto had to face. New York has been scratched and scraped and dug for funds and yet the workers must to-day go over the ground again and find pay gravel.

Of the thousand workers not one permitted himself or herself a moment's rest. They were out and "on the job" as soon as business New York was at its peak. Moving commissions were given to the workers. They worked for their teams, of course, but they were instructed to go to any one who might be likely to donate. Many of those who have already given to the fund have made second donations.

When to-day's campaign opened the amount still to be collected was \$125,000. This sum must be in the hands of the Executive Committee before midnight, otherwise much of the good work of the collectors will have gone for naught.

Nearly \$500,000 was contributed to the fund conditionally upon the entire amount being raised. John D. Rockefeller has a conditional string to \$200,000, which he subscribed. The \$500,000 subscribed, in addition, is a flat subscription. That remains in the fund, no matter how much is collected.

Henry C. Frick has also subscribed a conditional \$100,000. So the workers for the great movement are not striving for a mere lack of \$125,000, but they are trying to save to the fund nearly three-quarters of a million dollars besides.

George W. Perkins was busy on the fund at an early hour this morning. The telephone, telegraph and messenger service were in working order. The workers, which have been at good work in the past two weeks were again in the field.

"It is much harder to raise the deficit than it was the rest of the fund," said Mr. Perkins. "The city has been raked and scraped for a fortnight, and it is pretty hard to find new funds."

There may be some whom we cannot reach. To them I would say that the committee would be very grateful if they would send their subscriptions to me this afternoon or evening to the Hotel Manhattan. Our efforts this morning have been to get the money in the form of small checks and promises for more. Our people are not losing any time and by 5 o'clock to-night we should have the best of results."

SCHOOL CHILDREN AID POOR.

Seventy Baskets of Food and \$400 for Turkeys Distributed.

A committee of the boys and girls of Public School No. 77 at First Avenue and Eighty-sixth street took a half holiday this afternoon to distribute baskets of food and \$400 for turkeys to the poor. The boys collected seventy baskets of food and \$400 with which to buy turkeys and the girls got forty baskets and an equal amount of money.

Under the supervision of Principal Page and Miss Adler, the assistant Superintendent, the more needy families of the district were selected and two pupils went out with each allotment. The money contributions were made by the savings of the youngsters themselves.

\$1,000,000 RAILWAY FIRE.

Grand Trunk Shops Burned and 1,000 Men Lose Work.

PORT HURON, Mich., Nov. 26.—The Grand Trunk Railway Company's shops in this city were destroyed by fire to-day, causing a property loss estimated at about \$1,000,000 and throwing 1,000 men temporarily out of employment. The origin of the fire has not been determined.

Robbers Blackjack Saloonkeeper.

As Henry E. Henson, a saloonkeeper at Targee and Van Duser streets, Tompkinsville, S. I., started to his living room upstairs after locking his saloon for the night about 11:30 o'clock, he was set upon in the hallway by two men who blackjacked him. William Evans, who lives across the street, heard Henson's cries and telephoned for police aid. Henson's assailants fled. The police had the injured saloonkeeper removed to Smith Infirmary, where he was found to be suffering from painful bruises and cuts.

SEVEN MASKED MEN LASHED HER AT NIGHT, IS CHARGE OF WOMAN

Georgia Widow Causes Arrests
of Accused and Mob Law
Threatens Them.

(Special to The Evening World.)

STATESBORO, Ga., Nov. 25.—Alleging she had been stripped and mercilessly whipped, Mrs. M. J. Rollison, a handsome widow, living near here, came to Statesboro to-day and swore out warrants against seven prominent men. They were John Lanier, Perry Houston, Andrew Lane, George Bird, Leonard Smith, Ivy Coleman and Mark Trammell.

Mrs. Rollison, who showed the marks of severe punishment, lives with her young son and according to her story seven masked men went to her home last night and broke in. "My son and I were taken from the house, and whipped with a buggy trace until I was almost unable to rise from the ground where I had fallen."

"They thought the best killed me and one of them ran to the house and got a bucket of water and poured it on me. On my failure to get up they left me lying there. In their haste to get away their masks fell from their faces and I recognized every one of them."

Mrs. Rollison's husband died about eighteen months ago and since then she and her son have lived alone. Some time ago she had trouble about a land line with one of the men she accuses and much bitterness resulted in the neighborhood. There is deep feeling over the treatment of Mrs. Rollison and some talk of mob law.

COULDN'T SLEEP; ENDS LIFE.

Suffering From Insomnia, Merchant Hangs Self in Home.

Because he was tired and could not get the rest he needed so much, Elde Tows, aged seventy-two years, a retired butter and egg merchant, committed suicide by hanging himself from the kitchen door of his home at 54 Charles street early this morning.

About six months ago he was taken ill and though he recovered it left him broken down, owing to his advanced age, and since then he had been troubled with insomnia. Although he tried everything it was impossible for him to get the rest he was in search of and he lay night after night tossing about in the throes of sleeplessness.

CASHIER PLEADS GUILTY.

Schlicknecht, Who Stole \$25,000, Will Be Sentenced Next Week.

John Schlicknecht, the twenty-three-year-old bookkeeper-cashier of the Washburn-Crosby Flour Company who disappeared Aug. 25, leaving a shortage of \$25,000, pleaded guilty before Judge Mahoney in General Sessions to-day to two indictments, one for grand larceny and the other for forgery in the third degree. He will be sentenced next Wednesday.

After leaving this city Schlicknecht went to South America, later returning here, arriving Oct. 25. Since then he has been in the Tompkinsville, N. Y., office of the District Attorney's office shows that members of a gang to whom Schlicknecht had been introduced by a woman who posed as his wife relieved him of most of the money he stole.

Jurors Thank Judge Mahoney.

The panel of talsmen in Part V. of the Court of General Sessions to-day before being discharged for the term presented Judge Jeremiah T. Mahoney with a set of resolutions expressing their appreciation of the master in which he conducted the cases brought before him.

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EAT LESS MEAT AND TAKE SALTS IF KIDNEYS ACHE OR BACK HURTS

Says Bladder irritation or Rheumatism means Kidneys aren't straining out uric acid.

Meat forms uric acid, which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidney occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is

cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night. To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.

Park Employees Get Pay.

Acting Commissioner Louis F. Lo Roche of the Park Department said to-day that the attendants, mechanics and laborers in his department would be paid off to-day, so that the men could use some of their money for Thanksgiving expenses. This is the first time such an arrangement has been made. Tomorrow is the regular pay day, and because it is a holiday the men would have been forced to wait until Friday for their money.